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THE LANTERN, PUBLISHED TUESDAYS AND FRIDAYS. J. F. BIGHAM, Editor and Prop. Entered at the Postoffice at Chester, N. C., as second-class mail matter. FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 19, 1904.

Senator Hanna having been regarded as a formidable rival of Roosevelt for the presidency, his death is regarded by some as another evidence that Mr. Roosevelt is a man of destiny.

It is reported that Mr. B. A. Morgan, who is now a member of the house from Greenville, will be a candidate for lieutenant governor, also that Senator A. H. Dean, of Greenville will be a candidate for congress from the Fourth district.

A man must be able to get his dues and then he may get more than his due. Our political leaders told us, while Marcus-Alonso Hanna was alive, that he was a trickster, a briber and everything that was bad in politics. Now that he is dead, they weep over him and say he was a lovable man, that he was a dispenser of charity who did him his in secret.

Steinkuhler-Smyer.

The most interesting social event which has taken place here recently was the marriage of Miss Annie Carolyn Steinkuhler and Mr. Wm. Smyer, at the Methodist church, Wednesday evening, To the strains of Mendelssohn's wedding march played by Mrs. A. G. Brice, the bridegroom and attendants entered. First the ushers, Messrs. Boyd Carroll, W. A. Leckie, C. Spratt and Aticus Thornton. Next the little ribbon girls, Misses Alice Glenn and Hazel Thomas, of this city, Frank Henry of Charlotte, and Johnnie Brown, of Columbia, who were lovely in their white mull, accordion plated dresses. Mr. W. S. McDonald, Jr., came in with Miss Anna Thomas, Robt. Frazer with Miss Jane Hamilton, Robert Lindsay with Miss Rubie Bowles, Robt. Matlack with Miss Irene Smyer, J. A. Barren with Miss Bessie Clinton, of Edgeboro, Theodore Tinsley with Miss Mary Owan. The maid of honor, Miss Kate Holcomb, of Edgeboro, came down the aisle alone, followed by the bride with her brother, Mr. Albert Steinkuhler, while the groom entered at a side door with his best man, Mr. Pearl Bowles.

The attendants faced the congregation, forming a tableau effect upon the pulpit platform and altar. The Rev. G. P. Watson, the officiating minister, stood within the chancel while the contracting parties took their position in front of him.

After the ceremony that made the two one, the party left the church in reverse order, and Mr. and Mrs. Smyer took the train for a trip to Washington and Baltimore.

The bride wore a white silk suit, over tulle, and carried an exquisite bouquet of bride's roses, white carnations and ferns. The maid of honor was dressed in the white alt dress with lace bodice and carried pink carnations and maiden hair fern, while the bridesmaids wore large black velvet picture hats, three being dressed in pink organza with pearl trimmings, bearing pink carnations and maiden hair fern, and the other three similarly in blue with white carnations.

The church decorations were beautiful in their simplicity and arrangement. The ceremony was witnessed by a packed house, and many good wishes attend the young people as they enter upon wedded life.

Some of the out of town guests at the marriage were Mr. and Mrs. Hoover and daughter, of Charlotte, Mrs. A. R. Brown, of Columbia, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Gall, of Lenoir, Mr. and Mrs. Ferguson, of Edgeboro and Mrs. L. S. Brown, of Columbia.

The Vote.

We give below the vote as it stands now. A number of subscribers have indicated their choice, but they cannot be counted yet as their time has expired and subscription has not been renewed.

Miss Kate Grant 182
" Fannie Sanders 1816
" Mary Mills 5800
" Joe Sanders 1431
" Willie Castles 3194
" Sadie Threlkill 3043
" Lucile Wright 1035
" Ross Curry 2072
" Mr. J. Colvin 1528
" J. Frank Clark 969
" Miss Emily Jordan 1472
" Roy Miller 2893
" Miss Victoria Hollie 2007
" Bert Roe 2007
" Miss Mary Amelia Varnadore 1344
" Annie Wilson 359

COLUMBIA LETTER.

COLUMBIA, Feb. 18.—The legislature is hurrying through with its work in the endeavor to reach final adjournment Saturday morning so the members can draw their forty days pay and get home for Sunday, but the present prospect is that the adjournment cannot be had before Saturday night—in which case there will be a very small attendance at the final session.

The remainder of the session's work consists in agreement and disagreement of the two houses upon measures that have passed one body or the other but not both. A lot of bills have been left on the house calendar that have not even been considered in that body, where they originated. The appropriation and supply bills have been practically agreed upon, the only important reduction in the appropriations being that of \$100 in the wages of the governor's negro porter.

IMMIGRATION BUREAU.

The house has finally passed the bill establishing an immigration bureau. The measure accepted is the one introduced in the senate by Senator Manning, it being substituted in the house for the similar bill introduced by Mr. W. L. Mauldin and another by Mr. D. D. McColl. The fight for the bill in the house was led by Messrs. Mauldin and Morgan, both of Greenville and both of whom made strong speeches. However, the bill had a rough passage and passed to third reading yesterday with two house amendments, as follows: By C. Brookes: Provides that immigrants shall be confined to white countries of the United States, citizens of Ireland, Scotland, Switzerland, France and all the other foreigners of Saxonia origin." By Mr. Devore: "Provides that in regard to agricultural interests under this act it shall be the duty of the commissioner to cause these immigrants only who desire to purchase homes to become citizens of this state and who will give up their native land."

The commissioner of immigration is to be appointed by the governor for a term of four years and will receive a salary of \$1,950, with a clerk at \$1,000, and \$2,000 for advertising and traveling expenses. Gov. Heyward is already being besieged by applications for the new job but he says he will take his time and pick out the very best man he can find, regardless of any other consideration than fitness for the place.

The bill putting the telephone companies under the railroad commission, a measure introduced by Senator Hydrick and after amendment passed by the senate, has now passed the house. Mr. Morgan, who had introduced a similar measure, accepted Senator Hydrick's bill and led the fight for it in the house. It is not so stringent as it was in its original form.

The conference committee appointed on Mr. D. O. Herbert's bill to create scholarships at Clemson college made its report in favor of the senate amendment making these scholarships apply to the agricultural department alone, and the report was accepted. This provides 124 additional scholarships in Clemson confined to the agricultural course.

The house has again rejected the proposition to make school attendance compulsory by killing Mr. Herbert's bill requiring all children between certain ages to go to school for eight weeks in the year. The house has also killed Mr. Toole's bill to regulate the catching and sale of oysters, shad, clams and other shell fish and migratory fish.

The bill was introduced last session and is somewhat along the lines of the law in Maryland, where there is an annual revenue of \$400,000 from the licenses issued to those in the shell fish industry. Virginia gets nearly \$200,000 out of such licenses. The bill at first seemed to be favored by the majority of the house, but Mr. Colcock's fight, almost unaided, except for the assistance of Mr. Lorton, carried the day and the bill was lost. One thing which operated against the bill was the fact that it was indicated by Mr. B. Mar and Mr. Bullock that this bill might interfere with the famous shad bill, now a law.

ANTI TREATING BILL.

Mr. Doyle's anti-treating bill has at last got through both houses, though variously amended. In its present shape the bill reads: "It shall be unlawful hereafter for any person to sell, barter or give away, or treat a voter, to any malt or intoxicating liquor within one mile of any voting precinct during any primary or other election under a penalty upon conviction therefor of not more than 30 days imprisonment with labor."

VAGRANCY.

The senate seems to be favorably disposed toward Senator Doyle's bill to amend the law by providing that if the vagrancy of a person be established by a jury he shall be bound in sufficient security, in the discretion of the court, for his future industry and good conduct for one year. If the vagrant gives no bond he shall be punished by \$100 fine or 30 days hard labor. The author of the bill made an earnest appeal for it, saying that the vagrant would be bound to his bondsman for a certain time, receiving a regular scale of wages. There is no peonage in this system and the large number of vagrants is alarming. He proposed to amend the bill by adding a proviso that if the vagrant did not want to take advantage of the bill he should be punished as now provided by law.

Senator McClell's bill to prohibit the traffic in seed cotton without a license between August 15 and December 15 has passed the senate but a similar measure has already been killed by the house. The same is true of Senator Goodwin's bill to establish two additional judicial circuits—the senate has passed it but the house has killed it. A similar measure was some time ago rejected in the house.

BERKSHIRE PIGS FOR SALE.

McDaniel, Chester, S. C. 293

A perfect fit is guaranteed by S. M. Jones & Co.

Fodges Letter.

FUDGES, Feb. 18.—Owing to so much cold and wet weather our farmers have not had any plowing yet.

They are having done these days at chopping and hauling wood.

I noticed in Friday's Lantern that the Bascomville people had felt an earthquake. It was also felt by this correspondent and other members of the family.

There has been a good deal of sickness in the neighborhood but I am glad to say all the sick ones are better at this writing.

We are sorry to learn that Mrs. G. W. McKown, of Fort-Lawn, who has been sick for some time, is not improving much.

Mr. J. Neal Jordan returned home last week from Richmond, Va. We are glad to have him home again.

Mr. B. D. Jordan and little son Hyatt visited Mr. J. Q. Thomas, of Lyle, not long since.

Mrs. D. M. Cox visited her son, Dr. W. B. Cox, of Chester, recently.

No Gloss Carriage Paint Made will wear as long as Devore's.

No others are as heavy bodied, because Devore's weighs 3 to 8 ounces more to the pint. Sold by Jos. A. Walker.

SUITS Made To Order

FIT GUARANTEED.

We have just received our line of Samples for SPRING Wear. We are now ready to take your measure and make you a Spring Suit of High Grade material of which there are fifty of this season's newest styles to select from. Our Mr. LATIMER, who has charge of the Tailoring Department, will be glad to see you and take your measure. You all know Mr. Latimer's ability in the art of measuring, as he enjoys the reputation of being an expert in this line.

20 to 30 Per Cent Saved.

Why pay 20 to 30 per cent more for other tailor made clothing when we can save you that much, giving you better material and guaranteeing a perfect fit. Only high class tailors employed and each garment is cut by an expert cutter. With such a combination you cannot fail to get a perfect fit.

Give us a Call and we will be glad to show you through our line at

THE BIG STORE

S M Jones & Co

The Mill-End Sale

Continues Until the 26th.

Fresh Goods by Every Express.

NEW BARGAINS EVERY DAY.

LINDSAY MERCANTILE CO.

When Buying Paint

There are several things to be considered, viz:

How Many Gallons Will Be Required, How Much Will the Paint Cost, And the most important Feature: Its Finished Appearance and Wearing Quality.

In Using HIRSHBURG, HOLLANDER & Co's STAG BRAND SEMI-PASTE PAINT

There is no risk to the Buyer. The Quality is Unsurpassed and the Cost Less, because ONE Gallon makes TWO.

The Best Paint Made

One Gallon Makes TWO.

TRADE MARK

FOR SALE BY

JOSEPH A. WALKER.

Like the Pyramids

The pyramids are one of the wonders of the world, not for beauty or art in design, but simply and solely because they have lasted so long. Now

This Furniture Store

of ours is like the pyramids, not because it has lasted so long, but because it is a wonder in high grade goods and with prices as low as would be consistent with good business.

The Hahn - Lowrance Co.

In the Valley

THE LYMAN TWINS - AT THE RACES.

OPERA HOUSE, MONDAY, FEBRUARY 22nd

LATHAN, INSURANCE.

Representing:

GEORGIA HOME.

GLENS FALLS.

ROCHESTER GERMAN.

CITIZENS.

HANOVER.

If You Think

I am too far down the Street to call at my store and order your Groceries, just step to a phone and

Call Up Phone No. 261

and your orders will be taken and goods delivered with quick dispatch and the same appreciated. I hope to be in a larger and more convenient place very soon.

Appreciating past favors, I am—Very respectfully,

W. F. McCULLOUGH, In the Valley.

Our New Motto for 1904:

The Best Goods

—FOR THE—

Least Money.

Our hearts go out in grateful thanks to the people of this community for the kind, loyal support they have given us in our endeavors to keep a first-class Fancy and Heavy Grocery Store, and while we may not be able to sell everything lower than any one else

We will always have something Cheaper and Everything as Cheap.

For the present and until further notice we will sell the

Finest Whole Head Rice 14 lbs. for \$1.00.

Splendid Standard 3-lb Tomatoes at 10 cents.

A splendid 3-lb Standard Dessert Peach at 15c.

For one week only, a splendid Loose-Roasted Coffee, 9 lbs. for \$1.00.

We are still selling the same kind of Cheese at the same price.

We Have Everything Kept in a First Class

Grocery Store, Heavy and Fancy.

Just received one car Corn Meal, one car Flour, one car Cotton Seed Meal, one car Molasses, one car Seed Oats.

TO THE FARMERS: If you haven't seen Alexander on Molasses, Tobacco, Meal, Corn, Oats, Bacon and Guano you had better see him. Remember our motto, "Best Goods and a Little Cheaper." If I haven't mentioned it it's because I haven't the space. Call us up over the phone and get the price or you may be the loser.

J. R. Alexander,

THE CUT PRICE GROCER.

The Four Poppy Girls Who Will Be Seen This Season With

THE LYMAN TWINS - AT THE RACES.

OPERA HOUSE, MONDAY, FEBRUARY 22nd

THE LANTERN
TWO DOLLARS A YEAR, CASH.
Telephone - - - No. 54.
FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 10, 1904.

LOCAL NEWS.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Lewis spent last Sabbath at Lewis.

Mr. R. B. Mobley, of Rodman, was in the city Wednesday.

Mr. John Snow, of Peasleeville, was in the city Wednesday.

Misses Nannie Kelsey and Milla Abernathy, of Port Latta, are visiting Miss Rosa Hough.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stevenson and Mrs. W. B. Ferguson, of Rossville, were in the city yesterday.

Miss Fannie McIlroy has returned to the city from a visit to her aunt and sister at Avon.

Miss Marion Bulwer and Mr. Wood, of Crosbyville, were in the city Wednesday.

J. Henry Gladden says he is not for one of The Lantern's prizes but for sheriff of Chester county.

Mr. J. M. Daniel, of Columbia, spent two days in the city this week.

Miss Mary Haffner entertained on Thursday evening in honor of Miss Frances Gleason, of Charlotte.

The board of trustees of Brinkley College will meet in Chester on Thursday, Feb. 25th at 8 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Millan and daughters, Margie and Mattie, of Rodman, were in the city Wednesday.

Miss Lydia Gaither, of Greensboro, Penn., arrived in the city yesterday on a visit to the family of Prof. J. S. Marquis.

The advertisement of Mr. S. R. Lathan as fire insurance agent will be found in this issue. He represents a number of good companies, which he names.

Miss Mary Caldwell, of Wellridge, is visiting her aunt, Miss Leila Brice, - A. R. Presbyterian. [We are pleased to say that Miss Mary Caldwell is now of Chester - The Lantern.]

Mrs. L. T. Nichols left yesterday morning for Newberry, S. C., to meet with the Executive Board of the South Carolina Federation of Women's Clubs. While there she will be the guest of Mrs. W. H. Hunt.

Miss Adeline Samuels, formerly of Chester, now of New York, is visiting her sister and mother, after spending the winter in Aiken, Augusta and Savannah. Her many friends are glad to welcome her back.

We have hit upon a fine scheme in dealing with candidates, but we are not applying it all around yet. One of them we charge a fee for admission to their office, and yet he comes often to the office, and yet he charges us 25 cents and upwards, according as he has been prospered.

Mr. C. E. Darby made a flying trip to Port Latta last night to attend W. O. meeting. He said some of the good work, initiating three new members, and no doubt they are wondering today if they broke the goat or the "goat rode" now.

Rev. Churchill Satterlee, Rector of Trinity Episcopal church, Columbia, died suddenly at Summerville, Ga. early Tuesday morning from heart failure. Less than a week before he, accompanied by his family, went there in the hope that change of climate would hasten his recovery from an attack of grip.

Wanted - Several shares in Spratt & L., series No. 7 or 8. Reply to the Lantern office.

Garden Seeds.

We now have some garden seeds at this office, sent by Senator Lathier for distribution.

Dear Subscribers.

Please do not send in votes on the prize contest unless you know subscription is paid in advance. Renew your subscription, then send your votes. Otherwise you give us unnecessary trouble.

At the Presbyterian Church.

The Rev. J. K. Hall, of McCollville, will preach next Sabbath morning. It is expected that he will conduct the funeral of the Rev. J. K. Hall in the afternoon, if the remains arrive in time, but this cannot be known positively.

Hardly Married.

A note from Stevenson, Fairfield county, dated Feb. 18th, says, "Mr. J. N. Hardin and Miss Mattie Belle Bice took a ride to Rev. J. R. Miller's last night and were married."

S. M. Jones & Co. have got in their spring clothing samples.

Capt. Stanley.

Capt. Charles H. Stanley's entertainments at the opera house and Purty chapel have been very first-class and highly-esteemed in the city as well as artistic effect. They have been highly commended. "I have many a time paid 50 cents to see a show not half so good" is but a sample of the remarks dropped by spectators. We have heard, that Capt. Stanley will leave tomorrow morning. When he comes to Chester again he will meet a warm welcome.

If you want a spring suit made to order see the line of samples at S. M. Jones & Co's.

Shot by a Dog.

Miss Garrie Douglas, daughter of Mr. Geo. Douglas, was severely shot in the foot two weeks ago, in a peculiar way. A dog ran into the house and behind a gun that was standing against the wall, knocking it down, when it was discharged, the mortar having fallen just at the side of the young lady's foot. It tore off the sole of her shoe and also the flesh from the sole of her foot about the toes. It was fortunate that the gun was so close that the shot did not scatter. Mr. John C. McAfee was called in and acted very efficiently as surgeon until a physician could get there.

To arrive this week, second shipment northern Bliss and Rose seed potatoes, California oranges, northern apples. J. W. Reed.

The many friends of Mrs. L. T. Nichols will be pleased to read the sketch on our first page. They will find other things there that will interest them.

Paint Your Buggy for 75c. to \$1.00 with Davos's Gloss Carriage Paint. It weighs 3 to 8 ozs. more to the pint than others, wears longer, and gives a gloss equal to new work. Sold by Jos. A. Walker.

Opera House.

Barlow & Wilson Minstrels appear at the opera house tonight. Lawrence Barlow the head comedian in the attraction is conceded to be one of the best all around minstrel men in the business, he never fails to keep the audience in an uproar when on the stage. Seats at Halfers. Regular Price.

"THE LYMAN TWINS."

To appear here.

It is announced that the famous twin comedians "The Lyman Twin Brothers" will appear at the opera house date of Feb. 22 in their latest and greatest musical comedy songs "At The Races." This excellent company with its beautiful scenic equipment, numerous wonderful mechanical and electrical effects together with one of the strongest casts today in musical comedy, comprising a pretty chorus, wonderful dancers and clever comedians producing original novelties will give one of the most pleasing entertainments of the season. Regular Price.

Low Property Paid.

The loss sustained by the Commercial and Manufacturers' Club on account of the fire on the early morning of the 7th inst., has been adjusted and paid. The insurance was carried in the Home Insurance Company, of New York, which is represented locally by J. W. Benson & Co. Mr. Caldwell, the president of the club, said this morning when asked about the matter: "We are delighted with the prompt and liberal manner in which the company and its local agents have dealt with us. They paid us full value for every item we lost, and added 10% to our lot to cover our expenses for cleaning up after the fire."

Another big lot muslin underwear at half price. Lindsay Mercantile Co.

Mrs. Lee McKay, of Charlotte, has been visiting her father, Mr. D. B. Dickson.

In stock, California oranges, northern apples, dried apples, California evaporated peaches, stick and fancy mixed candies, cheese and cakes, tobacco, cigars etc. J. W. Reed.

The Weather

has been cold and disagreeable, but people have to eat just the same, and we are doing all we can to help feed them.

These cold damp mornings one wants a cup of good coffee to brace him up and we've got it at the right prices, quality considered.

We are selling the best Hams on the market at 15c per pound.

JUST RECEIVED. - Another shipment of new New Orleans Melons, which we want everybody that reads this advertisement to try.

Heinrich's bread and our cucumber pickles, mince meat and apple butter are the best goods of this class to be found, and we want them all.

Exclusive agents for Hams and Breads, an assortment in the tobacco line, not the very cheapest, but the very best.

Thanking the good people of Chester and vicinity for their patronage in the past, and soliciting a continuance of the same, we remain ever ready to serve you all.

Irwin & Culvern

DID YOU GET A BATH TUB
For a Christmas Present?

No reason why you should not, for they are within your reach. No reason why the transaction should be delayed, either.

There are Gifts Here - Not only bath tubs, but many bath room fixtures that will just suit you.

Chester Plumbing & Heating Co.
Phone 272. Valley St.

NOW IS THE TIME TO Beautify Your Home

Spring in all of its splendor will be here in a few days and house cleaning will begin in dead earnest. Destroy the home and you destroy the nation. Build up and beautify the home and you contribute largely towards the support and maintenance of the country in which you live.

ST. LOUIS WILL HAVE A FAIR

But come here to the Red Racket Store and we will show you an exposition every day in the week. Get Room Suits, Rockers, Bureaus, Bedsteads, Dining Chairs, Hall Racks, Iron Beds, Mattresses, Springs, Lounges, Cots, Wardrobes, Sideboards, Wash Stands, Tables, Rugs, Pictures, Safes.

See Our Big Stock of Racket Goods

Notions, Shoes, Hats, Clothing, Crockery Ware, Glass Ware, Agate and Tin Ware. When in Chester come up on the Main Square where you can get a good view of the mercantile chess board. Our prices are right and right you know makes might.

W. R. NAIL'S RED RACKET STORE.

Main Street, Chester, S. C.

We sell Furniture for Cash or on the instalment plan.

Job Printing

The Right Kind, at The Lantern Office

When You Buy

FURNITURE

You must depend to a large extent on the honesty of the dealer.

B-SHARP WE ARE NOT ANGELS

(If we were we would be out of business) but whatever you buy of us must be as we represent it to you or you get your money back. In all the years that we have been selling goods to the people we have not had one person say we cheated them or misrepresented our goods. WE NEVER MAKE A STATEMENT WE CAN'T BACK UP and we want to make one right now.

We Can Save You One-Fourth on Your Furniture Purchases.

Come to see us. Get our prices and let us show you how we get goods at such a big discount below our competitors. There is a way to prove our statement too: Compare our prices with those of our competitors.

EXAMPLE: Man came in our store the other day, said he wanted some furniture, picked out a lot, bill was fifty dollars; Man was surprised and said: "Why, that bill was a duplicate of a list I had picked out at a Furniture Store down street only your goods are much newer and they wanted seventy odd dollars." He had made twenty dollars in just a few minutes. We have his name if you want to know. Also that of lots of others who have had similar experiences. Moral is shown in our illustration.

THE NICHOLSON FURNITURE STORES

WE ARE OFFICIAL WATCH INSPECTORS

For the Southern, S. A. L. and C. & N. W. R. ys.

Does it not appeal to you that the above mentioned Railroads would be very careful about appointing Watch Inspectors, when so much depends on the running of a watch? Five minutes has caused the loss of many human lives and loss of thousands of dollars.

Have Your Watch Repaired by Us and GET SATISFACTION.

We absolutely guarantee every piece of work that is repaired. If at any time you are not satisfied, let it be known to us and we will make it satisfactory or refund your money. Come in and see our Repair Department and we will be glad to explain everything to you.

J. C. ROBINSON,
Jeweler, Watchmaker and Optician. Under Tower Clock. Chester, S. C.

Suppose It Is a Bargain

We have to offer in Plates, Cups and Saucers and all kinds of useful and pretty dishes, then won't you come and inspect our stock?

We have just opened up four Hogheads, two Crates and more than a half dozen barrels of the prettiest China, Glass and Englishware you ever saw anywhere. The Englishware you will find cheaper than you expected and perfect in design and decoration. The China is of this year's design and is lighter and much prettier than the old styles. From our stock you can pick out each piece that is to go into your dinner set. Buying just what you need at present and adding to it as your wants increase.

Waters & Spratt.

Quit Coughing

There is no need of wearing your lungs out, when you can get a bottle of **Murray's Horehound, Mullien and Tar.**

A few doses of this Household Remedy will give immediate relief. A positive cure for Influenza, Bronchitis and Diseases of Throat. Anti-Spasmotic in Croup.

PUT UP BY
THE MURRAY DRUG CO.,
COLUMBIA, S. C.

NOTICE.

Stock series number eleven in the Spratt Building and Loan Association advertised to begin February 10, 1904, has all been taken and considerably more has been applied for. In order to accommodate all those wishing stock the directors have decided to open subscriptions for another series to be known as Series Eleven "A" to begin on the same day as Series Eleven. Remember both series are to begin TUESDAY, FEB. 16, 1904. All persons wanting stock please call on the president or secretary, or any of the directors.

B. WHITE, President.
B. M. SPRATT, Secretary.

Money Talks

When money talks the people listen; all the strained arguments and labor efforts of some of these dull, hard-up for trade, Chester merchants have to take a back seat--go away back and sit down hard--so long as Kluttz' cheap prices have the floor.

Ladies' Entertainment.

Glistering Black Brilliantine, 1 1/4 yards wide, only 50.
Cadet Blue and Steel Grey heavy skirting, fair breadth of yard wide, only 35.
New South heavy Suiting 1 1/2 yard wide, only 50.
Snow Flake Zelline, yard and 2 inches wide, only 25.
Brut red Wool plaid suiting, yard wide, only 25.
Satin Stripe and Persian band novelty Waistings, only 40.
Trot waist Flannels, only 25.
Black, Navy, Carmine and Gray Cashmere yard wide, only 25.
Black Taffeta Silk, yard wide, only 95.
Many bargains in many colors dainty Silks, 25 to 75.
Cashmeres and Brocades, double width, only 12 to 25.
White Corded P.K., only 7 to 25.
American made Butcher Linen, only 9c.
White Mercerized Silky Waisting, only 30c.
Percals, dainty and pretty, only 8c.
Bleached Table Damask, only 30c.
Turkey Red Table Damask, only 20c.
Yard wide white Homespun, and heavy check, Homespun, and Apron check Gingham and Calico, only 5c.
White Bed Quilts at old 5 cents a pound, cotton price.
North Carolina Wool Blankets, only 2.75.
Ribbon Bargains.
Embroidery and Laces and novelty Collars and Handkerchiefs that you had best see.
Shoes for Ma, Pa, Bud, Sis, and the Babe cheap enough. Towels 5 cents and 10 cents and 15 cents to beat the band. Stockings, Ladies' and Children, best in South Carolina for 10c. Ready-to-wear Hats and Coat Suits and Skirts at a down price enough.
Fresh Garden Seed One Cent a Paper.

Gentlemen and Boys.

Just throw away your old Pants, and Coats, and Vests, and Suits, and Hats, and get new ones greatly marked down in price at

KLUTTZ' Old Reliable New York Racket, Big Cheap Store.

HUMPHREY-JOHNSON CO.